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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED
EXAMINING GROUP 2839**

PATENT

Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 04208.0183-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Minoru IGARASHI et al.) Group Art Unit: 2839
Application No.: 10/619,489) Examiner: Le, Thanh Tam T.
Filed: July 16, 2003) Confirmation No.: 8855
For: CONNECTOR FOR)
CONNECTING CIRCUIT BOARDS) **Mail Stop AF**

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed October 12, 2005, and pursuant to
37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper,
beginning on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment section of this paper, beginning on
page 6.